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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(1), 'Applicant hereby petitions for a one (1) month extension of time to respond to the July 23, 2004 Office Action in the above-identified application from October 23, 2004 up to and including November 23, 2004. With the extension, the deadline for response to the Office Action is November 23, 2004. Thus, Applicant respectfully submits that the filing of this Response on November 11, 2004 is timely. A check in the amount of \$55.00 for small entity status is also enclosed. Please charge any addition

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